Personals

Miss Sue Davidson is in Charleston. S. C.

Miss Mary Davidson is in Rich-

Mrs. Ledgerwood Moffett and little daughter are visiting relatives in Cin- Frank P. Rhodes.

Gen. Scott Shipp and Mr. W. T. Shields have returned from a . visit to

Mr, Warren McClure, of Spottswood Augusta county, is the guest of his gister, Mrs. Walter McCown,on Whistle

Prof. H. W. Barclay and wife, of Roncevert, W. Va., are the guests of Mr. J. W. Barclay.

Capt. Thomas D. Ranson, of Staunton, and Col. George Perkins, of Charlottesville, were in town on legal business on Monday last.

Mr. Louis Pennington, of Staunton, was the guest of his parents on Satur-

Delegates Quisenberry and Waddy, Sergeant-at-Arms, J. M. Johnston and Clerk Jno. W. Burger, spent the Xmas boliday at their hom s.

Hon. J. w. Gilmore, one of our member's of the constitutional convention, spent his Xmas with his family near Gimore's Mill,

Misses Elizable and Margaret Moreland, of McDonough, Md., are Hill, is visiting friends in Roanoke. the guests of their aunt, Mrs. H. E. Hyatt, at the V. M. I.

Mr. A. W. Harman, Treasurer of the State of Virginia, spent his holiday with his family at his farm near town.

Mr. Henry McCorkle, of New York. spent his Xmas with his sister, Mrs. J. one-Perry Davis' Painkiller-has T. Danlop, near Buena Vista.

The largest hog reported as butchered so far in Rockbridge county was that of William Jennings, of Fancy Perry Pavis" Hill. It weighed 764 gross and 670 pounds net. It was Poland, China,

Real estate has taken a new start in the city of Buena Vista, W. T. Paxton has sold four dwellings, containing nine rooms each, and located on what is known as the Court-House block, to N. A. Rees. The consideration was if the tormenting cold that made last

fixed the duration of the Christmas holidays from Saturday afternoon, the right remedy in time. Allen's December 21st, to Tuesday morning, January 7th. They also permanently appointed William Washington, Jr. principal of the Lexington colored

Rev. C. R. Stribling, pastor of Falling Springs Presbyterian church, sarprised his congregation last Sunday morning by giving them notice that he had accepted a call to Waynesboro' church. He asked that they unite 000 to his Institute, so that deaf peoply with him to secure a dissolution of his unable to procure the Ear Drums ma? pastoral relations, He has had charge The Nicholson institute, 780, Eight of Falling Springs church for the past Avenue, New York five years, and is much beloved by the congregation,

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MURCURY. as mercury will surely destroy the and on Saturday last come into the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it that there was no fire in the stove the through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physician, as the damage they will do is ten follow to the good you can possibly derive to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by IT I (there is the stove of it in the stove, the oil light end and she was everely burned to the kitchen where host-ss was, Mrs. Agnor with great presence of mind extinguished the whole system when entering it from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manu-factured by F. J. Cheney & Co., the flames. Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Oure be sare you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F, J. Cheney & Co. Testi-

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Mrs Timothy A. Hall, wife of the Rev. T. A. Hall, has returned homfrom a visit to friends in Washington, D. C., and Manassas.

Earnest L. Rhodes, formerly of Baltimore, but now of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Stevens, of Washington and Lee Uni versity, are visiting the exposition a Charleston, S. C.

Dr, S. McPheeters Glasgow, of Nash ville, is the guest of relatives here.

Judge S. Houston Letcher and Mr. William T. Shields have returned from bave not lived for Christmas. How Richmond.

Prof. Martin P. Burks of the law faculty of W. & L. U., has gone to Faith without works is dead. So do Bedford City where he will spend the holidays with his family.

Major Richard C. Marshall, actingcommandant of the V. M. I., has returned from Fortress Monroe, where he has been standing his examination New Year, Squire May. prior to his entering the regular army as second lieutenant.

Hop. Wm. A. Glasgow has returned from Richmond where he spent several days renewing old acquaintauces.

Mrs. Elizabeth Orendoff, of Harrisinburg, after a week's visit to M.s. William Herring, of Fancy Hill, vicinity, has returned bome.

M ss Katherine C. Herring, of Fancy

Miss Daisy Moore, daughter of Julius J. Moore, of Fancy Hill, has Miss Nellie Lee, who is teaching entered St. Luke's Hospital, in Richnear Buena Vists, spent her Xmas at mond that she may become a trained Old Candy Man."

PEOPLE BELIEVE IN IT.

It has been cynically said that anything can be sold by advertising nowa-days. This i not so. Many luiments have be a selvertise! but only stood the test of sixty years' use. to-day its popularity is greater than ever and is based not upon what any body says but upon what the remedy The re is but one Painkiller

Dropped Dead

The wife of John Kenny, colored, dropped dead in the store of G. W. Offlighter & Co., Tuesday morning supposed to be heart disease.

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Leg Broken

Mr. Ornia Kreamer had the misfortune to fall on the streets and break his right leg below the knee on Monday last,

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Badly Burned

Miss Willis Williams, daughter of BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR Mrs. Fannie Williams, dec'd, came very near being burnt up on Saturday last. She is the guest of Mrs. T. T. Agnor, since the death of her mother, room being very cold and thinking that there was no fire in the stove she

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Squire May's last sermon this year, Dec 15th, 1901; being my birthday and 1 being 77 years old to-day, and the old year will soon be gone. I would the old year; My love to my Heavenly Father, to netify all His children th t He has planted a tree of life and how we've their pre ents on Christmas Paul said "when I was with

ld I did as the world did. . ut n w I have come cut rom the world, and be separated from sinners, and touch not, handle not the unclean Now, if my Heavenly Father, haspla ted whiskey on this tree of life and if you do you drink it you most drink it to the honor and glory of God, for without honor you crnnot please God. -So many these days are drinking whiskey and killing time and say they are going to Heaven. They have so little reach that kingdom becames your arms will be too short. I call no names but Dr. and Mrs. W. L. LeConte hundreds are guilty of the stain. Now, childish ways, and now it be-comes me like a man, speak like a man and act like a man." So let all God's children come together on Chrismas day and rejoice like strong men in the service o which is good. A great many say they | Sun. are going to take Christmas when they drae me to say that I am going to take Christmas if I have not lived it? Show me your faith without works and I will show you my faith by my works not kill so much time. Live the time. Broad is the road that leadeth to death, and thousands walk tegether. But wisdom shows the narrow way, Just here and there you will find a traveler. Deny thyself and take thy cross is the Redeemer's great command. Wishing you all a merry Chrittmas and a happy

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> > The Cantata

The pupils of the Rockbridge Normai School gave a successful performance in their Cantata of the "Good

Supt. A. N. Johnston was present, and pleased the audience greatly by his impromptue remarks upon the condition of the school.

"Mother's Day" will be the last Friday in each months, and all the mothers, fathers and friends, are cordially invited to be present on that T. Agnor, treasurer, and Miss Lulr,

The Rockbridge Normal Lyceum meets the first and the third Fridays n each month. An interesting program is given by the members,



Rev. H. A. White, D. D., of Lexington, Va., will fill the pulpit at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning and evening next. Dr. White, is professor of History at Washington and Lee University and is an eminent divine. He comes at this time to urge the appointment of Dr. McCorkle a-the agent of the Virginia Synod to assist in raising a 20th Centvry fund on behalf of Education. The church is not expected to act upon the matter next Sunday but will do so on the following Sunday, Dr. McCorkle has many friends here why will oppose his appointment to this new field,-Clifton Forge Review.

IT KEEPS the FEET WARM and DRY Ask to day for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder It cures chilblains, swollen, sweating, sore, aching, damp feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c.

Gen Chaffee, military governor of the Pullippines denounces the Filipinos a. war traitors, and says that while only pertending to serve the Americans they secretly do everything possible to aid the insurgents."Trator, is now a favorite word with the republican abministration as "rebel" was during the civil war. The Filipinos ra not citizens of the United States their islands were sold to this country by Spain without thesr consent when they were fighting Spain for independence and because they continue their fight for freedom against the United States does not make them traitors. Were it possible for them to win they would be called patriots by the people of every country, save this, under the sun.

the Chats Litchers

Thirteen Wives

Goshen, Dec. 19 .- A man who has proposed to thirteen different w men and has never met a refusal, who has like to say a few words at the ening of married thirte en times and lived happily with an even dozen of the wives until he saw then, stricken down by death, is an interesting study. uch a man is hving in Gothen tod y hather person of Jame Nicholas Yana who is still bale and pear, y in his minetyfifth year a d bas eea it is ime a successful doe o f med cine and an

> earnest, evangelical worker He was once well off, but is now the janitor of the Goshen Social and Athletic Association's clubhouse. Through his veins flows African blood.

The wives of James N. Vann were honor, not enough to tell their brother like the doomed of destiny. No sooner how do. But the Master says you cann t did they marry than they began to wither-that is to say, all but the thirteenth, and she is well and hearty toas Paul says I was a child I had day, probably because she did not reman true to her husband. Still, Vann to lay down childish ways and to think is looking for another wife, and the chances are he will find one. In trath he could find many, but they are not the kind he wants. His thirteenth God. Then we can eat and drink that wife was a lesson to him. - New York

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PERRY DAVIS

Rome, Dec. 20 .- A tel gram from Constantinople to the Turk -h embassy here gives assurance that Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, will be liberated before the e d of the month:

In the death of Mrs. I'li a Da sat her home near Cornwall. Rockbridge county, has lost one of per old citize M . Davis was porn in Bath county Wa eighty-seven years ago, the Caughter of James Coberly. Her husband. William Davis. died twenty-five years ago. Four sons and one daughter survive. Her remains were buried at Nerich Baptist church, of which church she was a communicant: The fiev Mr. Graybill officiated.

An interesting meeting under the auspices of the Lexing on Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held Dec. 22nd, at Trinity Metho at church The officers of the as-sociation are: Mr. Lawrence Embree, presid nt; drs R. E. Hution, vice-president; Mrs. T Laird, secretary. The meeting was presided over by the Rev. J. H. Light, Addresses were made by the Rel Dr R. J. McBryde and Rev. T. A. mall, o czington, and the Rev. C. T. D. Collens, of Buena Vistr

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Edward L Watts's heirs etc Defendant The undersigned Commissioner in chan

The indersigned Commissioner in chan-cery to whom the above styled cause has been referred by decree of the circuit court of Rockbridge, entered Sept. 17th, 1901, directing him to take, state and report the

offecting him to take, state and report the following, to wit:

1st. An account of debts by liens, or otherwise if any there be against the said Edward L. Watts dec'd and especially of any unpaid taxes,

2. An account of the receipts and dis-

sement of Frank Moore, Special Com

Srd. An account of the proper distribution of the proceeds of the sale of the said tract of land in the bill and proceedings mentioned among the parties entitled thereto.

4th. Any other account deemed pertinent to the Market of the sale of the s

by the Master, or required by any of the parties in interest,
Notice is hereby given the parties that I have appointed the 25th day of January 1902, at my office in the town of Lexington, Va, to execute said order of reference.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. WESTERS DISTRICT OF VIRGISIA, 88: In the United States District Court in and for said district. In the matter of No. 60 in bankruptey. T. H. Stansill.

Bankcupt.) Petition for discharge To the Honorable John Paul, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Virginia:

the Western District of Virginia:

T. H. Sansill. of Covington, in the county of Alleghany, and State of Virginia, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 19th day of Nov., in the year 1900, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankrupt expective that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully compiled with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptey.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable grainst his estate.

rom all debts provable r rainst his estate nder said bankrupt acts, except such debts is are excepted by law from sveh discharge.

Deted this 18th day o' Nov. A. D. 1901.

T. H. STANSILL, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA, SS; On this 11th day of Dec., A. D. 1991 on reading the foregoing petition it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1902. same on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1905, before said ee.r., at Harr sonburg in said d'striet at ten o'clock in the forencon, and that notice t'hereof be published in the LEXINGTON GAZETTE, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear a the said time and place and show cause, i any they have, why the prayer of the said peritioner shou'd not be granted. And it is further ordered by the court

that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of witness the Hon Henry C McDoweli judge of the said court; and the seal thereof, at Harrisonburg, in said district, on the 1th day of Dec., A. D. 1991.

[SEAL OF COURT.] Aleste:

A. K. FLETCHER, CLERK.

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